# **TECHNICAL DATA SHEET**



1.7 N/mm2 / 247 psi

# MM50T 2 part moulding compound

Description Property Test Method Value

This is a two-component low tear room temperature condensation cure silicone system. The cured rubber is suitable for the mould making of patterns with fine details, where some dimensional stability is required. Low tear silicone moulding rubbers are cost effective for the production of moulds only requiring a few impressions. They find uses in the reproduction of plane surface objects

## **Key Features**

- Soft resilient rubber
- Suitable for tampon print pads
- · Flexibility for deep undercuts
- Fine detail pick up

#### **Application**

Printing pads

#### **Use and Cure Information**

The curing process starts as soon as the catalyst is added. Under normal conditions of temperature and humidity typical curing characteristics are described below. If the product is to be used in contact with aggressive chemicals, such as high styrene polyester resins or epoxies, it is recommended that the rubber be allowed to cure for 48 hours before use.

Pour the catalysed rubber into the mould from one point, ensuring air is not entrapped. Allow the rubber to cure before removing from the mould. To allow the rubber to achieve its maximum physical properties and chemical resistance leave the partially cured rubber to age at room temperature for at least a further 12 hours.

#### How to Use

Charge the base rubber into a clean plastic or metal container, approximately 3-4 times its volume.

Add standard catalyst in the proportion of 5 parts by weight of catalyst to 100 parts by weight of the rubber base. Mix thoroughly, slowly at first to avoid splashing and taking care to avoid excessive air entrapment. After catalysation any entrapped air may be removed by intermittent evacuation for several minutes. The use of a sufficiently large container permits degassing without overflow.

Uncured Product lest Method Value

Appearance Viscous liquid

Color A Grey
Cure Profile 23°C and 50%

Cure Type humidity
Cure Type Condensation

De-mould Time / Full Cure at 23°C/73°F 8 hr hrs

Mix Ratio By Weight 20:1

Pot Life mins at 23°C/73°F >45 min mins
Rheology
Liquid

Viscosity A Brookfield 12000 cP
Viscosity B Brookfield 50 cP

#### **Cured Product**

CTE Volumetric ppm/°C
Color

799 ppm/°C
Blue

Density BS ISO 2781 1.21 g/cm3 Elongation at Break ISO 37 700 %

Hardness Shore 00 ASTM D 2240-95 47

Linear Coefficient of Thermal Expansion (ppm/°C) 266 ppm/°C

Linear Shrinkage (%) 0.5 %

 Max Working Temp
 180 °C / 356 °F

 Min Working Temp
 -50 °C / -58 °F

 Tear Resistance (N/mm)
 BS ISO 34-1
 6 N/mm / 34 ppi

**ISO 37** 

Tensile Strength

Storage

Max Storage Temperature 40 °C / 104 °F

Shelf Life 12 mths

# Catalysts

Use the following catalysts:

Code	Colour	Pot Life	De-Mould
MM CAT L5 NT	Clear	>60 mins	<24 hrs

### **Health & Safety**

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Safety Data Sheets available on request.

#### **Packaging**

CHT Moulding Rubbers are available in a variety packaging including bulk containers. Please contact our sales department for more information.

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